

REMARKS

Claim 11 has been cancelled and new independent claim 12 has been substituted for the cancelled claim. In new claim 12 the ridges on the bottom surface of the tube are referred to as "spaced". The flange 18 is now recited as being at "a" forward end of the device.

It is believed that the application is now in condition for allowance, and such action is solicited.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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